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Once again we are happy to extend friendly greetings and many thanks to all our loyal **HILLTOP Dahlia** customers. We are pleased to offer with our 1962 catalogue a carefully chosen selection of first class dahlias, which will bring you a new enjoyment and satisfaction.

Service - Courtesy - Quality
is our motto

Grow HILLTOP Dahlias—it assures you success.

We wish to thank the numerous visitors who came to our garden during the past season.

WELCOME TO CENTURY 21

in Seattle!

Hope to see you at the Fair
Don't forget, while you are there
To visit our lovely spot
The Dahlia Gardens on the Hilltop!

In Seattle take the Fountleroy Ferry, cross the beautiful Puget Sound, debark at Southworth and drive to Port Orchard. Go up Sidney Road about 2 miles, cross Hiway 14 and . . . there you are!

GENERAL TERMS—Our stock is fully guaranteed in every respect and to be in good growing condition when received by you. Postage will be paid on all orders over \$5.00, on smaller orders please enclose sufficient postage. If too much is sent it will be refunded, if not enough you will be notified. Please do not ask us to ship C.O.D. Always be sure to sign your full name and address. Washington customers must add the sales tax.

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1962 Introduction

We have the pleasure to introduce another origination of the well-known hobbyist THOMAS FORHAN:

EILEEN G — B-size

**Incurved Cactus, very fine petalled
of brightest pure yellow.**

Mr. Forhan named this exciting novelty in honor of Miss Eileen Gormley, coed at the Olympic College, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gormley, Bremerton.

The Dahlia Eileen G. can be favorably compared with "Wagschal's Goldkrone" in formation. Has ideal growing habits. Exhibition quality. 4½ ft. _____ **7.50**

New and Standard Varieties

APPLEBLOSSOM, B—SC. A prolific cut-flower with outstanding qualities for all purposes. The medium-sized flowers are carried on erect stems and have a beautiful pink color with lighter center. 4 ft. _____ **1.50**

ALLWAYS, Cac. A very large straight cactus of salmon and rose pink. The artistic formation and robust plant growth make it very much in demand. This was the only 1952 dahlia to be on all Honor Rolls. _____ **1.25**

AMBASSADEUR VAN KLEFFENS, B.B. Size (Water Lily) Formal, very clear orange almost gold. Early and free flowering, medium height. _____ **1.25**

AMI PARDIEU, 5 ft. A—IC. Terra cotta red to bright golden center. A light blend of pink to yellow. 9" blooms are carried on long and rigid stems. A healthy grower and good exhibit variety. _____ **1.25**

ANDRIES WONDER, 3½ to 4 ft. A—ID. A light blend of pink and yellow. This is the different one that some say looks like a chysanthemum. Blooms up to 10" are held on good strong stems. Each petal curving inwards with tips of almost a purple red. Very striking. _____ **1.25**

ARAB QUEEN, A-SC. A personal favorite! Always dependable in its perfection of flower formation. A wonderful exhibition variety! Coral pink, bright yellow center. 4½ ft. _____ **2.00**

ARISTOCRAT, Cac. A straight cactus of glowing red on best of long stems. 6 inch blooms cover the entire plant. 4 ft. _____ **1.00**

ART LINKLETTER, 4 ft. A—SC. Primrose yellow, one of the really big ones. Can be grown to 12 or 14 inches. Stems are strong and well proportioned. A vigorous plant with healthy green foliage. _____ **Net 2.00**

ARTHUR GODFREY, F.D. Beautiful Orient red with orange or buff shadings. A real Giant and great prize-winner. Blooms 12x6. Very highly recommended. _____ **1.00**

AUMONIER CHANDELON , Best in the show—Winner at the Kitsap County Dahlia Show 1961. C-6". Lovely salmon rose, blending to creamy yellow in center; erect on long, stiff stems, 5 ft.	1.50
AUTUMN BROCADE , 4½ ft. B—SC. Light blend orange pink with yellow center. A good all around cut flower and winner in its class on the show table.	1.00
AUTUMN GLORY , 4½ ft. A—I.D. Glowing orange of 11 to 12" blooms on very stiff stems with all flowers at a nice angle.	1.25
BACCHUS , 4½ ft. B—SC. Deep blood red, a free-growing, striking flower on erect stems, unsurpassable for cutting in its color. Lovely blooms.	1.25
BALLEGO'S GLORY , 4 ft. B—FD. Dk. bl. rich maroon with golden edgings along the petals. Unsurpassable as a bicolor cut flower.	1.25
BARBARA MARSHALL , 5 ft. A—FD. One of the very few fiery orange-scarlet exhibition giants, which are really good. It will measure easily 12" or over.	1.25
BELLE DAME , 4½ ft. A—St.C. Salmon pink autumn color. This one we like very much. Has good stems. Makes beautiful baskets, and a blue ribbon winner on the show table.	1.25
BELLEFLEUR , 3½ ft. BB—F.D. 4½-5" blooms. A blend of yellow with a sort of tangerine color blended over it. Well filled blooms on wiry stems are produced in profusion all season.	.75
BERTHA SHONE , 4 ft. A—I.C. Lt. bl. broad petalled cactus with deeply lacinated tips. Outer two thirds of the petals are clear lavender with the center third pure white. Stems are strong, holding the blooms at just the right angle, which have a very good substance and depth. About 10x6" size. A winner.	1.50
BERYL-JEAN , C-7. Extra fine, incurved mauve pink with cream center. Erect on long upright stems. Australian beauty. 5 ft.	1.25
BESSIE HARDRESS , A-FD-Y. One of the very best Australians we ever grew. Enormous, well shaped flowers on good stems. Deep yellow, slightly touched bronze. A real exhibition dahlia! 4½ ft.	1.25
BRIG O'DOON , S.C. BB. A magnificent new bright scarlet cactus variety with very long strong stems. An early cut-flower variety. An eye-catcher in the garden. 4 ft.	1.25
BLACK BIRD , 4 ft. B—Cac. This 8" black red beauty blooms on long, stiff stems. A real eye catcher and consistent winner.	1.25
BLACK MONARCH , 4½ ft. A—SC. Dark black red blooms up to 12" easy. The plants are rugged with extra strong stems. The tubers are often quite small, but makes plenty. Often a slow poke to show a sprout.	1.50
BLACK NARCISSUS , S.C. A splendid new exhibition variety. Color is dark red—almost black. Highly recommended.	1.50
BOND'S MEMORY , S.C. "B" (Primrose Yellow).	.75

- BRANDARIS**, 4 ft., B—FD. Rich scarlet red with golden center. ----- 1.25
- BREENDONCK**, 4½ ft. B—SC. Dark red. This is another one we like a lot, even tho it is a cactus. The petals are chopped off square or straight across on the ends. Has **good stems and blooms**. ----- 1.00
- BLUE OKANAGAN**, SC, A. Sensational Canadian giant easily attaining 12 inches, with plenty of depth. A very pleasing shade of bluish lavender that commands immediate admiration. A sure winner in its class, and a good grower. 1.50
- CAPRIOOL**, L.C.—Pk Bl. B—SC. 8x4." A personal favorite which is a great improvement of our famous Belle Dame. Very free-flowering; excellent as an exhibition variety and for garden decoration. Deepest salmon-pink with yellowish center. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- CAROUSSEL**, 6"—C. Rich purple; showing silver at back of narrow, incurved petal tips. Very free bloomer on excellent stems. 3 ft. ----- 1.50
- CELESTA**, S.C.—L:BB—IC. A remarkable early- and free-bloomer. Every bloom of exhibition quality. A beautiful unicolored soft lavender. Very useful as exhibition variety or for the commercial cut-flower grower. 3½ ft. ----- 1.00
- CARNAVAL**—Semi-cactus, tall bush. A striking signal red with yellow at the center, also yellow tipped. A prize winning importation. 1.25
- CERAMIC BEAUTY**, FD. An outstanding new prize winner. Color is crimson shaded purple. Giant exhibition variety. Very highly recommended. ----- 1.50
- CHARLES MASTICK**, 3 ft. A—F.D. A good old favorite in a large solid golden apricot. Blooms are thick and heavy. Keeps well. ----- 1.00
- CHARLES K. SHAW**, I.D. Clear light primrose yellow. Large blooms with long wide petals, healthy bush with nice long stems, bush 5 ft. Honor Roll winner. ----- 1.00
- CHEROKEE BEAUTY**, 4 ft. A—FD. A very bright pink that could be described as an improvement of popular Kelvin. A bright and massive 12-incher of good habit and depth. ----- 1.50
- CHRISTINE AUS**, 4 ft. B—I.C. Classified as a variegated yellow and red. It has a sort of rose undertone and is **splashed and veined** crimson red 7" blooms. **Novel**. ----- 1.00
- CLARA CARDER**, F.D. An old favorite of clear pink from Australia. Solid stems hold the large blooms well above the foliage. ----- 1.00
- CLEMENTINE PAYNE**. Cac. A lovely incurved cactus of clear mallow purple. Stems are all to be desired. 7-inch blooms. ----- 1.25
- COCKTAIL**, 4½ ft. B—Cac. Color is bronze or autumn shade. Blooms 6 to 8" held just right on good stiff stems. **A must**. ----- 1.25
- COLOR SKETCH**, F.D. Medium size light pink with faint spots of white and deep rose. A pleasing color in any garden. Stiff stems. ----- .75

- COMTESSE MOENS de FERNIG**, B. Prize-winning cactus-variety from Belgium. Rose-pink with orchid shades towards center. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- COVER GIRL**, A—F.D. A very good bicolor which is sure to please everyone. The large blooms are carried well above the foliage. Pure lavender, tipped white. Very constant in color-combination, 3½ ft. ----- 1.25
- CREMON**, St. Cac. B.B. size. Sulphur-yellow, narrow petalled, med. high bush, fine cutflower. 1.00
- CROYDON SNOTOP**, 3½ ft. A—F.D. Pure white. Strong stems carry 12" blooms at 45 degree angle. **Good**. ----- 1.50
- CROYDONS MASTERPIECE**, 4 ft. A—F.D. This is one of the large ones. Grows to 12" easily. Color is salmon orange with coppery tan shades. Free flowering, good grower. **Perfect**. 1.50
- CHRISLENE**, B—StC—LtBl. The straight cactus blooms are a lovely, light blend of Venetian pink, changing to light primrose yellow at the centers. The dainty color and exceptionally fine form coupled with its profuse blooming trait make it a great favorite with the gardener and the exhibitor. Size 7x4. ----- 1.00
- DELICATE BEAUTY**, S.C.—BB. 5x3." 1956 Winner of the Belgian Challenge Cup for best foreign novelty. A very good cut flower with unusual long lasting qualities in water when cut. In our eyes the one and only dahlia in its color for commercial cut flower purposes. Very delicate lavender, slightly tinted magnolia-purple. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- DENTELLE DE VENISE**, 4½ ft. to 5 ft. B—S.C. A medium size white with deeply fringed petal tips. Another unusual formation. ----- 1.00
- DEUIL DU ROI ALBERT**, 4½ ft. B—F.D. Bicolor. Dark purple with white tips. 6" blooms. Good stems. **Very striking**. ----- .75
- DIXIE'S WINEDOT**, I.D. One of the best variegated varieties—white splashed wine color. Blooms up to 12" with great depth. Very strong grower. ----- .75
- DOLLY SAWYER**, F.D. A giant creamy white with great depth. The sturdy stems hold some blooms at a 45 degree angle while others may be top blooms, the long broad petals curling clear back to the stems. We like it lots. ----- 1.25
- DONETTE ROBIN**, B—inc. Dark red, 3½-4 ft. tall. Washington originated. Stems are good and the plants are fine growers. ----- 1.50
- DURABILITY**, B—StC. Improvement of seed-parent Pres. J. Talpe. Medium sized blooms of perfect formation with great depth. Color deep salmon-pink with yellowish center. A best bloom in show candidate! 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- EASTERN ECHO**, B—F.D. 5" blooms of dark rose pink with deeper rose red flecks and stripes. Free blooming. 5 ft. ----- 2.00
- EL DORADO**, B—S.C. Bicolor, marigold orange, shaded with red, with deep white tips. It stands out alone in the garden as there is nothing quite like it. Is an early one in our gardens. ----- 1.50

EMPIRE STATE , Semi Cac. Blooms 11x6. Bush 5 ft. Impressive light blend of rose bengal and canary yellow and marigold orange, with broad petals that curl to points, on at least 2 honor rolls and Achievement medal winner.	1.50
EUGENIE , 4½ ft. B—Cac. This is a good bright yellow and has nice full bush habits. Free bloomer. The 7" blooms are nicely placed on real good stems.	1.00
ESPRIT , SC. B.B. Color is orchid purple, with enough rose to give it lots of life, the 6" flowers will last very well when cut. 5' bushes provide an abundance of lovely blooms.	1.00
EDNA D. , A—St.C. Beautiful straight cactus, rose red color, with broad petals. Strong tall grower with dark foliage and good stems. Impressive in the garden and also on show table. 4½ ft.	1.50
FAIR MAID , 4½ ft. B—St.C. Color is a coral or salmon pink. Blooms 8" or better on cane like stems. Stock limited.	1.00
FIGARO , 5-6 ft. S.C. Outstanding French novelty. Large golden yellow flowers, finely striped and flecked crimson red. A bicolor worthy of a place in every garden.	1.00
FIRST LADY , 3 ft. B—F.D. Nice dresden yellow. The petals recurve completely back to the stem giving unusual depth. Starts blooming quite early. Good stems.	1.50
FINESSE ANVERSOISE , 4½ ft. to 5 ft. B—St.C. This is one of the real fine petalled cactus. Color is very pale yellow giving it that char- treuse yellow effect. Good stems.	1.25
FIVE STAR GENERAL , 3 ft. A—F.D. Lt. bl. pink with yellow. This is another of those big blooms—12" not unusual. Can take the weather. Not a tall one. Good stems.	1.00
FLASHLIGHT , BB—S.C. A very good and reliable cut flower in the type and color of Hoek's Yellow. Color is bright sulphur-yellow, lighter at tips. Early- and free-flowering. 3½ ft.	1.00
FLORENCE CHADWICK , 5 ft. B—St.C. We consider this fine cactus as one of the best of its type. The white blooms, 8" or better, have a tinge of lavender in the center and very edge of petals.	1.50
FLYING SAUCER , A—Semi Cac. Color is a fine lavender pink with pure white center. This one was greatly admired in our gardens this past year. Very large blooms, held just right on the best of stems.	1.75
FRESCO , 4½ to 5 ft. A—St.C. A pure pink darker in the center. One of the most perfect serrated large dahlias. 10" blooms have lots of depth. A winner.	1.50
FRIEDA GAYLORD , I.D. Rosy pink lightly shaded with gold. A magnificent dahlia of remarkable size and vigor. Many blooms will measure 12x6" without pampering. Extra strong growing plant with extra strong stems. Blooms freely and thrives in warm weather.	1.00

New interest. Add a few varieties every year, and you will derive greater pleasure from your garden.

- FRIEDENSGRUSS (Herald of Peace)**, 3½ ft. A—I.C. Creamy white; almost a green. Petals are long and twisted—a new German dahlia. The 10" blooms have good cut flower qualities. 1.50
- FLIRT**, BB—St.C. First class cut flowers with medium sized blooms on strong stems. Prolific flower producer. A fine sulphur yellow. One of our best commercial cut-flowers. 4½ ft. 1.00
- FLEVOLAND**, B—S.C. One of our most outstanding varieties. Perfect blooms which are nearly as deep as wide, are produced in great numbers. Ideal stems, salmony reddish orange which attracts everyone. One of the best dahlias ever. 5½ ft. 1.75
- GIANT SPIDER**, A—IC. One of the finest cactus we ever grew. The large flowers have best stems and a fine petalled form. The color is bright carmine red. A great show dahlia! 4 ft. 1.00
- GLADYS**, B.B.—SC. Color is pure white, heavily tipped deep lavender and conspicuous center of deepest lavender. The flowers have a nearly perfect formation on long stiff stems. Outstanding cut-flowers with long lasting qualities and a perfect exhibition bloom. 2.00
- GOLDEN AUTUMN**, SC. Tall bush. A most outstanding dahlia for fall decoration. A pure gold 8-inch beauty on perfect stems, facing up. Long lasting in an arrangement. 1.25
- GOLDEN HEART**, S.C.—B. Flame color. 8x6" blooms. This wonderful dahlia has created a sensation, and still is gaining in popularity. The blooms have a wonderful depth. Color is brightest orange-scarlet, center golden yellow, best of stems. 1.50
- GOOD CATCH**, 5½ ft. A—S.C. Bright lemon yellow blooms — 10½ x 6," nearly ball-shaped. Stems are long and sturdy. Flowers face in perfect angle. 1.25
- GOOD EARTH**, 5 ft. A—I.C. Purest pink flowers grow in great profusion on nice long stems. The 9" blooms have a lighter center. Much in demand. 1.25
- GOUDBROCAAT (Gold Brocade)**, 4 ft. B—I.D. Rich gold, thickly pencilled and splashed with a deep crimson. Perfect flowers, free blooming. Rigid stems. 1.00
- GRACE**, S.C.—B.B. Pink. The earliest and freest-flowering miniature we know. Flowers have wire like stems and are produced in abundance, 3 ft. bush. The color is a fine pure pink, a wonderful cut-flower. 1.00
- GRANDEZZA**, B—InC DKR. One of the best cactus of dark red with a flush of purple. Finely pointed petals add to the beauty of this striking dahlia. Bush growth good having long stiff stems. 1.50
- GRANDMASTER BERGER**, A—S.C. A very beautiful new dahlia, light pink with a creamy center. Strong stems with nice foliage and habits of growth. You'll like this one. 4 ft. bush. Has won highest awards in Holland, France, Belgium and England. 1.50

- GROUCHO MARX**, A—SC—W (Comstock). Ivory white, semi cactus of large size. Broad petals are revolute for nearly half their length, to fine points. Stiff, strong stems hold most blooms facing at forty-five degree angle. Rugged plants. Size 11x6. ----- 1.50
- GRAND SLAM**, S.C. Lovely large blooms of amaranth pink and citron yellow. Stems are strong. Very showy in garden or show room. This is an older one and not a good root maker, but since so many people ask for it, we do keep some stock but don't usually list it in the catalogue, an old favorite. ----- 1.00
- GUIDING STAR**, MC—RB1:B—SC. A very bright dahlia which is already very popular. The medium sized bloom has a wonderful attractive vermilion color on golden yellow base. Deeper in color than Golden Heart, but smaller and not so deep in formation. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- GOOD MORNING**, B—St.C. Pure pink of exceptional quality. Fine cut flowers with good healthy stems. 4½ ft. ----- 1.00
- GINA LOMBAERT**, B—I.C. A Belgian variety. A Challenge Cup Winner in Holland. Fine deep flowers of pure salmon color with center a bright sulphur. Exceptionally good formation. Could be a show winner for you! 4½ ft. ----- 1.50
- GEORGE WILSON**, A, FD. The extremely large blooms have an attractive formation and an appealing color of white blended with lavender. A splendid exhibition variety. 3½ ft. ----- 1.50
- GODDESS**, B, IC. A lovely primrose yellow, slightly incurved cactus variety. An enormous number of narrow petals make up the beautiful blooms. Long and sturdy stems. 4 ft. ----- 3.50
- HARRISON (Catherine Miller)**, A—I.D. Red. Seedling of Pop Harris. Has same wonderful foliage, grows taller and is a shade lighter in color, a good red that can take the sun. The large blooms have lots of depth and very good centers. 4½ to 5 ft. bushes. On two Honor Rolls. 3.00



HART'S WHIRLAWAY

- HART'S WHIRLAWAY**, I.C. Exquisite yellow with apricot blended to the center. Whirling petals give it a very artistic formation. ----- 1.50

- HAZARD**, 5 ft. B—I.C. Orange apricot color. The well-shaped flowers have good stems and are produced in good numbers. Very attractive. — 1.00
- HIGH LIFE**, B—IC. Indeed a "high-life" in dahlias. Exceptionally good in all its habits. Deep amber with golden center. A real beauty in every show! 4 ft. — 1.50
- HOEK'S YELLOW**, B—SC. Long lasting cut-flower with excellent merits as a free-flowering variety. One of the best in pure sulphur-yellow. 4 ft. — 1.00
- HOUSE OF ORANGE**, 4 ft. B—F.D. A clear soft orange. Early and free bloomer on best of stems. Healthy grower and extra fine for any purpose. — 1.00
- HIGH STANDARD**, B—I.C. One of our top sellers. This multicolored dahlia has a perfect formation. Outer petals are a salmon red changing into pure salmon towards center. Base apricot yellow. This beauty deserves its name. 4 ft. — 2.00
- HOSHU**, A—I.D. One of the best Japanese varieties. Nice large flowers of reddish magenta at the tips and light lavender pink at the base. Blooms are of an outstanding color combination. Strong stems and good bush grower. 4½ ft. 1.50
- HYLAS**, B—SC. A semi-cactus, with bright poppy-red blooms of perfect form. Deep green foliage and ideal stems. 4½ ft. — 1.00
- HYPOTENUSE**, A-Inc.-C. Striking incurved cactus. Honey colored, striped with red. A welcome addition to the variegated class. Good grower and uniform blooms. 4 ft. — 1.25
- IVA JEAN**, 4 ft. B—I.C. Bicolor blooms of soft cyclamen purple distinctly tipped white 7" blooms are lovely with good depth, held at a good angle on strong straight stems. — 1.75
- IVORY GIANT**, 4½ ft. A—S.C. Large ivory white blooms on strong stems. The petals are slightly waved, giving a novel effect. — 1.50
- JO DEAN**, 5½ ft. B—I.D. Light lavender. These 7 to 8" blooms have lots of depth, often recurving completely back to the stem, which is strong and straight. Plant this one early. — 1.00
- JOSEPH B. LANKTREE**, I.D. This is one of the real big ones, a clear turkey red on best of stems. 14 inch blooms have been shown as largest in show. This will win for you. — 1.25
- JUSTINUS KERNER**, 4 ft. B—F.D. Crimson scarlet white tipped. The very neat perfect blooms and straight strong stems make this a beautiful garden variety as well as cut flower. — 1.00
- JANE LAUSCHE**, A—S.C. This has been a winner of many "largest" and "most perfect bloom" awards. Flowers are rosy-mauve with about ⅓ of each petal tipped white. The plants are fast growers and bloom early and profusely. We recommend this variety strongly. 4 ft. — 1.25

REGARDING BI-COLORS: Sometimes a bi-color variety will produce a solid color. This is possibly due to soil or climatic conditions. Try it at least two seasons as the condition will usually correct itself.

- JANET BECKET, A—S.C.** An adorable yellow bloom with full deep centers of distinct apricot. Excellent growing habits. 4 ft. ----- **1.50**
- KELVIN, I.D.** This is one of the largest of all Australian novelties. Peach pink blooms of 12 to 13 inches are on real strong stems. Heavy dark green foliage. Medium low. ----- **1.25**
- KELVIN SUNRISE, S.C.—B.B.** Color is an old gold with garnet red tips, 7" blooms on nice strong stems. Bush 4½ ft. A real eye catcher in the garden ----- **.75**
- KIDD'S CLIMAX, F.D.** A real champion among exhibition varieties. The nine inch blooms are of solid formation and a pleasing blend of salmon pink and yellow. This is GOOD. ----- **1.25**
- KINSUI, 4 ft. A—S.C.** A real bright yellow. Huge blooms—10 to 12." Good bush and stems: ----- **.75**
- KNOCK OUT, I.D.—A.** size. The color is a most unusual blend of light and dark shades of lilac. Bush 3½ ft. Very attractive. ----- **1.50**
- KLECKSER, B—FD.** This is an outstanding dahlia for someone wishing to add a new variety to their collection. Pure lavender, striped and blotted with deep purple. 4 ft. ----- **3.50**



LADY BIRD

- LADY BIRD (Miller-Bausch), A.—IC.** Our introduction of last year has more than fulfilled our prediction. The blooms are of true lavender, petals are slightly ruffled. Ideal bloomer, with nice long, straight stems, foliage of good substance. There definitely is nothing like it. An exhibition quality that should be a show winner. 4½ ft. ----- **7.50**

We hope our dahlias will grow friends.

LADY BONYTHON , B—C. Charming, exhibition bloom; the pink markings at tips of almost cream petals, give the neatly formed blooms a bright and attractive appearance. Ideal stems. 4 ft.	1.75
LACEMAKER , A—S.C. Pure white variety. Broad petals, serrated at edges. Good substance, profuse and long strong stems. Much in demand for wedding and church decorations. 4½ ft.	1.50
LA PAIX , BB—S.C. A must for every floral decorator. A superb cut-flower of rose-pink color. Very early. 4½ ft.	1.00
LAVENDER LADY , SC.—BB. Blooms 6½x4" shows a great resemblance with its seed-parent Mme. Clementine Payen both in color and flower formation, but is smaller in size, the flowers are deep, have twisted petals and a beautiful pure lavender color changing into white toward the center. Nice stems, 4' bush, lovely.	1.50
LAVENDER PERFECTION , A—FD—L. One of our most ideal dahlias; pure lavender pink with excellent stems and faultless blooms. A sure winner.	1.00
LAVENGRO , A—ID. Wonderful novelty from England which we consider the best large flowered dahlia of the last two years. Really wonderful in all habits. Deep lavender overlaid bronze with small golden-bronze petal-tips. 4.'	1.50
LILAS SUPERBE , BB—I.C. An incurved cactus with nearly ball-shaped flowers on good stems. The color is deep lilac without any nuances. A good keeper when cut. 3½ ft.	1.00
LOIS BOONE , 3½ ft. BB—I.D. Bright orange with very distinct white edge on the petals. Has nice bush growth. Good stems and keeps well when cut.	1.00
LOIS WALCHER , F.D. One of the best bi-colors ever introduced. Color is a true pansy purple tipped white—very striking. Always a winner in competition.	1.00
LOVE'S DESIRE , A—St.C. A beautiful giant with wonderful delicate pink color, somewhat lighter in center. Good stems, size and formation. A fine dahlia. 4½ ft.	1.00
LUCERNA , A—S.C. Dk. R. Deep mahogany red with golden yellow reverse showing a bright yellow center bud. Distinctive.	1.00
MADAME EMILE NAGELS —Straight cactus, tall bush. The 8-inch blooms are vivid pink with lighter centers. The rays are deeply fimbriated giving it a very lacy appearance.	1.25
MARILYN DALE , S.C. Large deep lavender of great refinement. The 9 to 10 inch flowers are held facing on best of stems. This one has won many prizes as best in show and best sectional.	1.50

Join your local Dahlia Society and plan on entering some blooms at their next dahlia show. The State and County Fairs will also be glad to welcome your entry of any blooms that you desire to display. All of these shows merit your active support and we know you will derive much interest and pleasure in working with them. Start planning now what entries you would like to make for the coming shows.



MARJORIE D.

- MARJORIE D.**, 4½ ft. to 5 ft. B—Inc. Cac. Bright red very fine sharp pointed petals, curling into the center till it appears almost ball-shaped. Blooms 6-7" on good stiff stems, keeps when cut very well and does not throw open centers. Also a good tuber maker. A good bloomer that blooms freely from mid-season till frost. _____ 3.00
- MARY ELIZABETH**, A—I.D. A bright red that sometimes shows semi-cactus. Good exhibition flower. Vigorous growth, but best if pinched and grown to four canes. _____ 1.25
- MIR**, 5 ft. A—I.D. Purest white. Huge grower. Petals are slightly waved at edgings, deepening the flowers. Blooms face at right angles on cane like stems. _____ 1.00
- MISS SAN DIEGO**, 4 ft. B—St.C. A blend of tyrian pink, shading lighter and into sulphur yellow at the base of the petals. The 8x4 blooms have deeply notched petals, giving lots of character. Nice. _____ 1.00
- MISS SENORITA**, FD—BB. Variegated, white with flecks and dots of amaranth rose and stripes of purple. This is a seedling of Gypsy Girl, and a real good one. Good stems and bush growth. 3½ ft. _____ 1.00
- MAGIC**, B—I.C.—Dk. Bl. A most remarkable color which is a mixture of pink, lavender and bronze tones. Best long stems and free-flowering. 4½ ft. _____ 1.25
- MISS ROSE FLETCHER**, 4 ft. BB—S.C. A lovely pale pink with silver flecks glistening in the sun. A strong bush with wonderful stems. Profuse and fine for cutting. _____ 1.25

- MME. CLEMENTINE PAYEN**, 5 ft. B—I.C. Light blend of lavender and white. The incurved form and delicate shading of these 7" blooms, centers being darker and of great depth, with good stems. A popular one. **1.25**
- MME. ELIZABETH SAWYER**, 4 ft. B—St.C. Pure pink 6 to 8" blooms. Blooms early and profuse. Good. **.75**
- MME. C. JUSSIANT**, I.C. Dainty medium size lavender freely produced on good stems. A general favorite with the ladies. **.75**



MORIO

- MORIO**, 3½ ft. B—S.C. Soft yellow 5-6" blooms. Vigorous and clean grower. Blooms have good substance, held facing on perfect stems. Very popular cut flower. **1.00**
- MME. DEBRUXELLES**, 4½ ft. B—I.C. A very showy dahlia. The outer edge of each petal is bright blood red and the balance of the petal is bright yellow with red black. The petals are quite wide, more like a S.C. Blooms are 4½-5." Very unusual. **1.00**
- MOTHER AARTSEN**, 3½ ft. BB—I.C. Bronze gold. The 6" blooms are incurved so much that they have a ball-like form. The petals are a light rose red on the back, however they are rolled together till only enough of it shows to give the flowers a beautiful autumn shade. One of the earliest to bloom and keeps it up till frost. Stiff, strong stems. **.75**
- MRS. McDONALD QUILL**, 4½ ft. A—F.D. Velvety crimson to black at center, heavily but very regularly tipped white. Blooms may grow to giant size for a formal bicolor with many at one time, held at correct angle. **Good stems.** Still is an award winner. **1.50**

- MASCARADE**, B—I.C. Deep purplish red blooms on best stems. A wonderful variety that is very difficult to beat. 4 ft. ----- 2.00
- MISS UNIVERSE**, A—S.C. This dahlia truly lives up to its fancy name. The huge, nearly ball-shaped flowers are carried on long stems. The conspicuous deep burnt orange blooms are well formed and of good substance. A great favorite. 5 ft. ----- 1.50
- NAGEL'S SOLIDITE**, 4½ ft. B—I.C. Pure rose pink 8" blooms or over. Bold upright, perfectly formed. Long, stiff stems. ----- 1.25
- NANCY CATHERINE SCHARHAG**, 4½ ft. A—I.D. Variegated large 9" blooms have a mallow pink background with streaks of amaranth purple. ----- 1.00
- NANCY GREEN**, 4½ ft. A—St.C. Light blend of lemon at base then tinged lilac with deeper color at center. 10" or more exhibit giant blooms. ----- 1.00
- NICKY K**, S.C. Medium size bright scarlet on stiff stems. One of the few reds that does not burn. ----- .75
- NIGHT EDITOR**, I.D. This wonderful American variety has a long record of winnings. It was awarded certificate of merit at Holland trials. The color is clear glistening purple. 9 to 10 inch blooms on solid stems. Nice growing plant. ----- 1.00
- NELLY JACOBS**, BB—I.C. Attractive deep salmon pink with a gold touch in the center. Plants are sturdy and prolific. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- NITA**, B—ST. One of our old favorites. Deep lavender with purplish red speckles. Variegated sport of the Juanita variety. Excellent cut flower. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- OCTOPUS**, B—I.C. 8x4½". Wonderful novelty which is easily recognized as the best yellow incurved cactus. The flowers have a great number of very narrow petals, the points of which incurve to the center of the flower. Color is a beautiful light yellow and stems are very good, although not too long. An exhibition dahlia of great importance. 4½ ft. ----- 1.50
- OLYMPIA CENTENNIAL**, 4½-5 ft. A—I.D. Rose pink 12" blooms. Will take largest in the show most of the time. Good growing habits. ----- 1.50
- ORFEO**—Semi-cactus, medium bush. A glistening reddish purple flower on a very stiff stem makes this a very good cut flower. ----- 1.00
- PACIFIC QUEEN**, A—S.C. An outstanding dahlia of real merit. 10 to 12 inch blooms on good stems. The color is orchid and white with the white most pronounced near the base of petals, making a beautiful color blend. Bushes grow about four feet. ----- 1.00
- PACIFIC STAR**. A fine 7 inch incurved cactus, the outer petals recurve to the stem making a very deep bloom. The stems are very good holding the blooms erect and well above the bush, color is salmon pink with some yellow in the center. ----- 1.00
- PAISLY GEM**, 4 ft. B—F.D. Variegated 8" blooms of white with streaks and speckles of violet over the entire bloom. Superb growing habits and keeps exceptionally well when cut. ----- 1.00

- PASTEL**, 3½ ft. B—S.C. 5" blooms of a lovely phlox pink—the color in between the rose and purple shades we have been in need of. Heavy bloomer, sturdy stems and a very good cut flower. ----- 1.00
- PERFECTOS**, C—7." Clear, rich blood red on best of stems. Very full-petalled. It blooms early and constantly. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- PHEBUS**, A—I.D. Deep canary-yellow. Strong stems. 4½' bush, good growth habits. Real nice. ----- 1.00
- PIERROT**, B—St.C. Beautiful blooms are perfect in every respect. Narrow petals, golden at base, heavily tipped deep orange. 4 ft. bush. A beauty. ----- 1.25
- PILCHUCK QUEEN (John Lindstrom)**, B—S.C. White 7 to 8" blooms with good depth and firm substance. Excellent. Pure white, floriferous and good strong stems hold blooms well out of 4 ft. bush, centers always good. On Honor Roll. ----- **Net** 5.00
- PIN UP**, 4 ft. B—I.C. Dark mauve, almost purple. A regularly formed exhibition bloom on wiry stem. Good habits and healthy grower. An elegant French Lady. ----- 1.50
- PIQUANT** — Semi-cactus, tall bush. The 7-inch blooms are a rich scarlet with even white tips. The stems are long and strong. One of the best bi-colors. ----- 1.25
- POP HARRIS**, 4 ft. A—F.D. An outstanding bright red of excellent form. The large 9x4½" blooms held on strong stems at the right angle, glossy foliage. Nice bush growth. ----- 1.25
- POWDER PUFF**, I.D.—A. The large 11-inch blooms are held well above the 4' bush, on strong stiff stems. Color is a pinkish lavender. Blooms have great depth. ----- 1.50
- POINTILLE**, BB—S.C. An amazing sight at exhibitions against black background! Classic in formation. The color is a salmony vermillion with tiny bright yellow tips and broader yellow base. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- PRESIDENT BLAKE**, B—I.C. Soft lilac color with lighter center. Good bush growth, strong stems. A real beauty! 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- PRESIDENT MOES**, 4 ft. A—S.C. Rose suffused pink or light blend. Pink and yellow. Bold huge flowers have great depth. Strong stems and habit make it useful for exhibition. ----- 1.00
- PRESIDENT J. TALPE**, 3½ ft. B—St.C. A blend of salmon and gold. The 6" blooms have very sharp pointed petals. Stems are strong. **Good.** ----- 1.25
- PRIDE OF HOLLAND**, 4½ ft. A—St.C. A medium shade of pure pink. Well rolled straight petals form lovely 8x4" blooms. Open grower and good producer, good sturdy stems. ----- 1.00
- PRIG**, S.C. 5-6 inch scarlet with tiny gold tips on the petals. Ideal stems hold the flowers right. Good keeper. ----- 1.00
- PRISCILLA**, 4½ ft. B—I.C. Scarlet orange on perfect stems. 6" blooms. Long rolled incurved glistening petals. An excellent exhibit as well as cut flower variety. Prolific bloomer. ----- 1.50

- PROFICANT**, 4 ft. B—I.C. A real good red. The 7" blooms have fine stems and good substance. A good variety for exhibition as it is a good producer of quality blooms. ----- 1.25
- PARI TAHA SUNRISE**, BB—S.C. A rare color combination of bright yellow with crimson red tips. This one was highly praised by many at our displays and in our gardens as well this past year. 4½ ft. ----- 1.50
- PENELOPE**, B—S.C. A very interesting semi-cactus. Appealing salmon-yellow, sulphur yellow at base, with almost brown at center. 4 ft. ----- 3.00
- PROMISE**, B—St.C. A most distinctive novelty with pure yellow blooms. Petals are lacinated for nearly half of their length. Holds exceptionally well when cut. The perfect blooms are carried high above the foliage on good strong stems. 5 ft. ----- 3.50
- POPULAR GUEST**, B—St.C. The wonderfully shaped blooms have a deep pink color with slightly lighter center. Petal tips deeply fimbriated. First class exhibit dahlia. 4 ft. ----- 1.50
- RIVOLI**, 5 ft. B—I.C. A pure rich yellow that is tops in its class. A reliable variety for garden and show. 6 to 7" blooms keep good when cut. Very good. ----- 1.00



RODEO

- RODEO**, A—S.C. 9x5. Red. The large blooms have a wonderful regular formation, stems are long and stiff, color is a beautiful deep blood red. Bush 4½'. Rodeo was a Trophy winner as the best dahlia in the show, at the Kitsap County Dahlia Society Show this last year. ----- 2.00
- ROYAL GOLD**, A—I.C. These extremely large blooms of golden orange are a rare sight. Fine formation and good depth, on ideal stems. This dahlia is of best exhibition quality. 4½ ft. ----- 3.00
- RENATA**, B—St.C. A very reliable dahlia in white. Petals are lacinated at tips. A prolific bloomer and ideal cut flower. 4½ ft. ----- 1.25

- ROTHESAY REVELLER**, B—F.D. One of our most outstanding bicolors. Blooms are perfectly formed. Color is a dark purple and petals are beautifully tipped white. Truly a conspicuous variety. 4½ ft. ----- 1.25
- SALMON GLORY**, Inc. C. Color is beautiful salmon apricot with bright yellow center. The perfect blooms are carried on long stems high above the foliage. Flowers up to 10." One of the best. 1.50
- SEARCHLIGHT**, 5 ft. A—St.C. Pure sulphur yellow. Good large blooms on ideal stems. A consistent prize winner. ----- 1.25
- SELLWOOD GLORY**, 3½ to 4 ft. B—F.D. Dark blend of tyrian purple with white edgings on the petals of the 7" to 9" blooms. Excellent for cutting. Outstanding prize winner. ----- 1.50
- SETTING STAR**, I.D. A real giant of amber and bronze making a shining spot in any garden or show room. ----- 1.25
- SHEIK**, St.C. Very attractive pink with white centers. Early bloomer on the right kind of stems. Keeps well as a cut flower. ----- 1.00

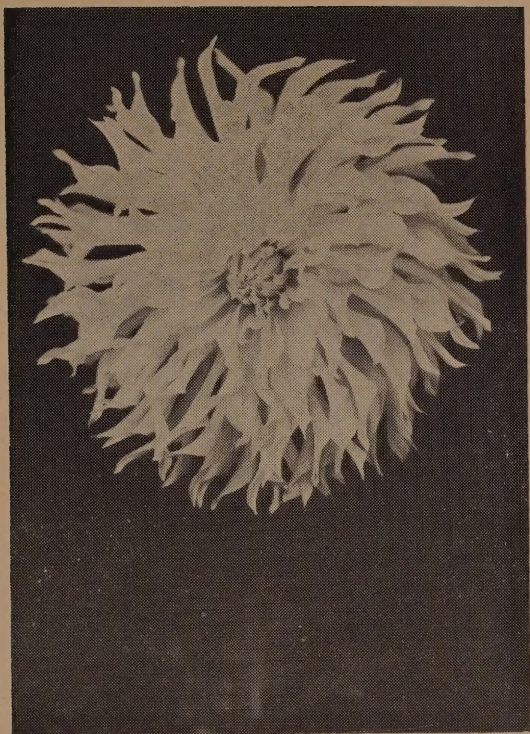


SHOWER OF GOLD

- SHOWER OF GOLD**, (Forhan). B—Cac. to S.C. Color is a true bright gold, blooms set at the proper 45 degree angle on strong stems. The petals are incurved and deeply split at the tips. Plants 4½ to 5 ft. ----- 2.50

AN INVITATION TO EVERYONE

You are invited to visit the Gardens, in the Fall, and see the dahlias in bloom. Come any day before a hard frost. They are at their best Aug. 20 to Oct. 15.



SILVER WEDDING

- SILVER WEDDING**, 4½ ft. A—I.C. White 10 to 11" blooms that have a sort of mallow color center when they first open. Long petals twist and curl. Healthy grower and good root maker. ----- 1.25
- SILVRETTA**, B—I.C. An unusual color composed from pink, lilac and golden shades. Very fine petalled. 5' bush. Very nice for arrangements. 1.00
- SIMOUN**, D. Large French novelty of unusual color. Bright primrose-yellow with blood-red spots and stripes. ----- 1.00
- SMOKY**, 5 ft. A—ISC. Deep mauve, bronze hued, suffusing golden to the base of florets. Remarkable color effect makes the huge stemmed incurved giant an interesting exhibition bloom. 1.00
- STORM CLOUD**, A—S.C. Field grown blooms sometimes attain a 12" diameter. The color is a dark red with occasional traces of purple. The plants are tall and wide-spreading, producing big buds that are a joy to watch opening. Size 11x5½." 1.50
- SUNKIST**, B—S.C. 6" pure sunkist orange on long stiff stems. One of the brightest and best dahlias of any type. 4 ft. ----- 1.00
- SUNNY-SIDE**, B—St.C. Terrific variety with very good general qualities. The petals are of a bright yellow at the base. The outer ⅔ of a glowing scarlet, with very small yellow tips. It is indeed an eyecatcher in the garden! 4½." 5.00
- SURPRISE**, 4½ ft. A—S.C. Imperial rose to pink with buff shading at center of the massive blooms held on good stout stems. An Honor Roll variety of splendid formation and excellent depth. A trophy winner at most of the Northwest Shows this past season. ----- 1.50

- SYLPHIDE**, 5 ft. B—I.C. Soft sulphur yellow color. A very interesting dahlia with petals curling and twisting. The flower consists of a small number of petals which are twisted in all directions and this makes the bloom of a most peculiar form. Stems are long and strong. We like it. _____ 1.50
- THOMAS EDISON**, B—F.D. A rich velvety purple. Prolific bloomer on strong stems. Good cut flower. 4½ ft. _____ 1.25
- TAIHEIYO**, A—I.D. Eye catching Japanese novelty with an odd color combination — lavender splashed with reddish purple. _____ 1.50
- TARTAN**, 4½ ft. B—I.D. An exceptional and distinct bicolor. Darkest mahogany petals are edged and tipped pure white. Curling, twisting petals reflex back to the stem, giving almost as much depth as the 8" width. Perfect stems and bush growth. _____ 1.50
- TELEVISION**, 3½ ft. B—I.C. Orange spider-bloom; a very prolific bloomer; petals are narrow from very base to tip, and readily incurved. An eyecatching garden plant of bright beauty that excels both for border—rowplantation and as a cut flower for artistic arrangements. _____ 1.25
- TERPO**, B—F.D. Blood red, 7 to 8 inch blooms of brightest red. Good strong stems. 4½ to 5' bush. We used this one, with Bacchus SC. and Calif. Scarlet, Ball. The three reds all different formations, are beautiful together. _____ 1.00
- TERRIFIC**, bloom 9x4, bush 5 ft., large bi-color purple with white tips. Good vigorous grower. Winner of many medals wherever exhibited. _____ 2.00
- TIPPLER**, B—St.C. A well formed bi-color dahlia. Pure white with petal tips deep lavender, as is the center. Outstanding and a real interesting variety. 3½ ft. _____ 2.00
- TIPPY**, BB—S.C. Unique color combination of bright yellow with scarlet tips, produces blooms of sharpest contrast far above average, all around qualities. 3 ft. _____ 3.50
- TOP CHOICE**, 5 ft. B—I.C. Dutch vermilion-red to cardinal red tints at center of deep blooms. Long stemmed introduction that was awarded Cert. of Merit and First Class, Holland 1958. _____ 1.50
- TORNADO**, B—I.C. A Victory Day seedling with good qualities. Best stems and fine flowers of deep orange with salmon hue. 5 ft. _____ 1.00
- VAL ST. LAMBERT**, 4-5 ft. B—St. C. Light blend of creamy pink changing to a cerise rose on the outer half of the petals. A very distinctive and beautiful dahlia of 7" blooms. The petals are deeply split into three points at tips. Free flowering on excellent stems. _____ 1.25
- VAMPYR**, A—I.C. 10" deep orange. Twisted petals give a pleasing form to the flower. Challenge Cup Winner. 6 ft. _____ 1.00
- VANITY**, 4½-5 ft. B—F.D. Light blend of pale pink, almost white with the outer edges of the petals a deep rose. The name really fits this beauty as it has so much dignity. 6" blooms are so perfect they almost look artificial. Fine long stems. _____ 1.50

VARIETY GIRL, 4 ft. B—I.D. Bicolor of purest orange, ½-inch or more tipped pure white on each petal. This is listed as a B size in the classification book, but for us it definitely grows an A size up to 10." Very prolific grower. Exhibit variety. 1.00

VICTOR MAID, 5 ft. B—I.C. 6-8" bicolor of deep blood red blooms tipped white. Very striking, nice form and true to color. Heavy bloomer. 1.25



WAGSCHALS GOLDKRONE

WAGSCHALS GOLDKRONE, B—I.C. A very fine German introduction! The medium-sized flowers are heavily incurved and are carried on long wire-like stems. Color is purest gold with deep brown center. A very unusual and beautiful appearance among the exhibition dahlias! 4 ft. 1.75

WINDLASSIE, A—I.D. Bloom 8x6, bush 5 ft. A real white. As the blooms develop the petals roll back forming a ball shaped flower. Early and profuse. Certified at Storrs and on 3 Honor Rolls. A worthwhile variety. 1.00

WILLIAM EVANS, A—I.C. A very fine cactus with curling and interlacing petals. Beautiful ball-shaped flowers. Color combination: orange, veined and flushed with crimson. Good bush grower. 4 ft. 1.75

YELLOW GLAMOUR, A—I.D. Lemon yellow, this large beauty could easily be grown to take largest in the show. Blooms are held at just the right angle on cane-like stems. 4 ft. 2.00

Our best blooming season is from the middle of August until frost. If you have never seen a dahlia garden in full bloom, we are sure that you will enjoy it—a truly vivid splash of color.



CHEERIO

Miniature and Cut Flower Varieties

The popularity of the small flowering dahlias has increased by leaps and bounds. Everyone should include a few Miniatures or Poms in their dahlia or landscape planting.

Our range of varieties has been substantially increased during the past season and we recommend the following sorts for cutting or table work—all are profuse bloomers.

These small beauties are like the larger in types but are from 3 to 7 inches.

- ANDRIES ORANGE**, 3 ft. M—S.C. One of the most popular orange miniatures. 4" blooms on these good stems.75
- ANDRIE'S PINK**, 3 ft. M—F.D. Rose pink water lily type. We call this a blue-pink. Everyone likes this one. 3½-4" blooms.75
- ANIMATO**, 3 ft. M—I.C. Rose pink. The 4" blooms with incurved form are very pleasing. Keeps well when cut. A heavy bloomer, stiff stems.75
- AREBESKE** (cactus) lovely little 3" lemon yellow cactus cutflower type. Low growing habits. Suitable for bedding.75
- AUTUMN QUEEN**. F.D. Attractive orange deeper in the center, prolific bloomer, good stems with nice bush growth. 1.00
- BABY FONTENEAU**, 4 ft. M—F.D. Delicate baby pink. This is a fine little cut flower. Early and a heavy producer.75
- BARBARA LOWREY**, 4½ ft. M—Cac. 3" cream yellow with tips bright cerise and real sharp. Prolific bloomer, real stiff stems and a good keeping cut flower.75

- BRONZE PRINCESS.** A lovely apricot. Petals have a hue of jasper red. Long stiff stems, habit of growth is excellent. 4 ft. ----- 1.00
- BRUCE, F.D.** Min. Salmon rose with yellow center always stays well under the four inch size, will almost never fail to be a blue ribbon winner in its class. One of the first to bloom in the garden. 2 ft. plants. Prolific bloomer. .75
- BRUMAS, B.B.—F.D.** (water lily). Pure white color, perfect formation, excellent cutflower that keeps well when cut. We recommend this dahlia highly. Bush 4 ft. ----- 1.25
- BUDDY, Min.—F.D.** Dark red. 2½-inch blooms. Never too large for the min. class. We use this with dark comet and a dark pom-pon such as Ebony, with dark foliage "red plum," in a black container. The men like this. ----- .75
- CINNABAR, Min.—F.D.** A wonderful exhibition variety which attracts every eye by its dazzling bright orange scarlet color. Bush remains small, but blooms are carried on good long stems. 3 ft. ----- 1.00
- CHEERIO, 4 ft. BB—I.C.** Bicolor of bright tyrian purple distinctly tipped white. Blooms will average about 4½." Nice bush and stems. ----- 1.00
- CURLEY CUE WHITE.** (Botting) Min. This little jewel reminds you of a little girl in a party dress, petals are sort of ruffled on the edges and curl to center, about same formation as Milisande. Bush 1½ ft. tall. ----- 1.00
- DECOY, 2½-3 ft. M—F.D.** The color is a bright golden yellow with scarlet tips and center. Classified as flame, a prolific bloomer. Nice for border use. The neatly formed 3½" blooms of great value for show-table and commercial use. ----- .75
- DESTIN, 3½ ft. M—St.C.** Delicate lavender. The 4" blooms on good stems make this very popular for arrangements. ----- .75
- ELEANORA, 3½ ft. M—S.C.** Lovely salmon pink. A nice 3½" bloom keeps well when cut; heavy producer. Tubers are small but lots of them and good. ----- .75
- GAYLE BOONE, 3 ft. BB—S.C.** Light lavender with a darker center. A 1957 introduction has 4-4½" blooms with good stiff stems. Has proved very satisfactory in baskets and the cut flower class. ----- 1.00
- GERRIE HOEK, 4 ft. (water lily) B—F.D.** Delicate shell pink. 4-4½" blooms. Bush and stems are perfect. Produces an abundance of flowers. Excellent for cutting. ----- 1.00
- GLORIE VAN HEEMSTEDE, (Glory of Hemstede) 4 ft. (water lily) B—F.D.** Soft primrose yellow. Much like Gerrie Hoek except for color. Has all of the same excellent qualities. ----- 1.00
- GOLDEN DROP, F.D.** Pleasing shade of dark golden bronze. (Water Lily). Min. ----- .75
- GYPSY GIRL, 4 ft. B—F.D.** Variegated blooms of 4½x2½" are light lavender, flecked and splashed with violet purple. Good form and substance. ----- .75

- HELLY BOUDEWIJN**, 3½ ft. (water lily). M—F.D. White, 4" blooms. Ideal cut flower. Very popular commercial variety. **.75**
- HESTIA**, 3½ ft. M—S.C. Delicate peach to autumn shade. 4" blooms on very fine stems and a heavy bloomer. **.75**
- HOCKLEY NYMPH**, Min.—F.D. A very good miniature which is popular as a commercial cut flower in England. Pale sulphur yellow. Water lily type! 3½ ft. **1.00**
- HOEKS YELLOW**, 5 ft. B—S.C. Nice 6" blooms of sulphur yellow. A little deeper yellow than either Morio or Finesse. Also different formation. Excellent cut flower. **1.00**
- JESCOT DRIFT**, 4 ft. M—F.D. Pure white 3-3½" blooms on long straight stems. Put this little jewel in the must class for arrangements and florist work. **.75**
- LOVELY LOOKER**. A ladies favorite. It is a wonderful small dahlia. Salmon-red with brownish hues. Perfect shape, ideal stems. 3 ft. **1.00**
- LILAS SUPERBE**, 4 ft. BB—I.C. Lilac pink 4-5" flowers are very deep and full. Good formation and dependable stems. **1.00**
- LILLY BELLE**, 3 ft. M—F.D. This is one of the older varieties but still very popular. The blooms will average a little over 4" and are a soft pink with a lighter center pink. **.75**
- LITTLE JOY**, Min.—C. Early and free-flowering. Deep pink. Exhibition variety. 3 ft. **.75**
- LITTLE LINDA**, M—Cac. White with very delicate orchid tips and center. 3" blooms, free-flowering, stiff erect stems, ideal for arrangements. 3½ ft. **1.00**
- LOMBAERT'S VIOLET**, 3 ft. M—S.C. Rich violet 4" blooms. An early and profuse bloomer on good stems. Fine cut flower. **1.00**
- MAPLE LEAF**, S.C. This is a novelty from Canada being quite the color of a maple leaf in fall. Nice shades of red and gold. **1.00**
- NAR.** M—S.C. Flame orange with yellow tips. 3" blooms on wire like stems. 5' bush very free-flowering. **1.00**
- NEPOS**, F.D. (water lily). Min. White base with edges of petals a rose pink. Three foot plants, bushy grower. Prolific bloomer, buds will bloom out after cut, a wonderful cut flower will last several days, one of our most popular dahlias, both at the shows and in the garden. **1.50**
- PANDORA**, Cac. Small salmon pink with yellow centers. Real good on strong stems. **.75**
- We like to use Bells of Ireland (fresh) in arrangements with Pandora, it picks up the yellow green centers. This is an annual grown from seed.
- PAX**, M—Cac. White at times has a sort of green cast to it. Blooms 3," grows rather low, 2,' has good stems, and is lovely in arrangements. **1.00**
- PASSEPARTOUT**, 3 ft. M—I.D. Bright red 3½" blooms. Flower formation and stems are excellent. This is the orange red, not the blue red. Wonderful for baskets and arrangements. **1.00**

- PINKETTE**, 3 ft. Min.—I.C. Vivid pink. Again one of the finest cut flowers in the miniature class. Blooms 3½x2" have a touch of gold at the base. These are produced in large quantities on perfect stems. ----- 1.00
- PINK STOLE**, 3½ ft. F.D. True vivid pink of 4-5" blooms have an unusual petal formation that reverse back to the stem almost like feathers, stiff erect stems. Prolific bloomer and holds well as a cut flower. ----- .75
- PORCUPINE**, Cac. A vivid orange with rather quilled petals but rather short. Solid centers at all times. 2 ft. ----- .75
- PREFERENCE**, 3 ft. M—St.C. Color a very lovely pure salmon. One of the most prolific bloomers of all miniatures. Flower formation and stems are excellent, nice 4" blooms. A great favorite for floral work and very useful as a cut flower. Another **winner**. ----- .75
- RICHARD TELFORD**, Min.—S.C. Bright orange 3" blooms on perfect stems. Early and profuse bloomer. A dependable cut flower variety, and good root maker. ----- .75
- ROZENA**, 3½ ft. M—F.D. The brightest cherry red. This very nice 3½-4" bloom is of perfect form. Hardy bush growth and good stems. This goes nicely with Snowflake, if you like red and white. ----- .75
- RUBY CHARM**, St.C.—M. Bloom 4x2, bush 4 ft. Lovely cherry red. Early blooms are inclined to run oversize. Good substance, fine for exhibiting and cutting. ----- 1.00
- SILVER SPRINGS**, F.D. Small formal of lavender pink. The small flowers are on good stems. Excellent keeper. ----- .75
- SMILES**, 3 ft. M—I.D. Color is persimmon orange, blooms average 3½-4." One of the best keepers when cut. A very heavy bloomer on stiff stems. ----- .75
- SNOWFLAKE**, 3 ft. F.D. to I.D. A charming white 3½-4" with lacinated petals. Flower has good substance, well proportioned stems, and grows to exhibition perfection. Blooms in profusion until frost. A 1957 Washington origination. One of the very best for florist work. ----- .75
- SNOWSPRITE**, S.C. Bloom 3½x2, bush 3 ft. Beautiful glistening white. Uniform blooms of fine form are held well above the robust bushes in marked profusion. ----- .75
- SPRINT**, 4 ft. BB—I.C. Purple with just the tips of petals white pointed. A vivid bloomer on wire like stems. By disbudding the blooms will be larger—to 5" and the lateral stems of better proportion. Very striking, good cut flower. ----- 1.00
- STARFIRE**, 4½ ft. M—I.C. A bright and glistening red. There are very few miniature reds of the incurved cactus type. This one is really good and has all the excellent qualities required for cut flowers. ----- 1.50
- ST. THERESE**, B—St. C. 5" light pink with white center. The favorite with more people than any other cactus. A good cut flower. 4' bush. ----- 1.25
- SWEET SUE**, 3 ft. M—I.D. Nice blend of yellow-orange to pale rose. 3½" blooms. A very heavy producer and fine little cut flower. ----- .75

- TIP, M—S.C.** Yellow. Free-flowering. Stays in the min. class. Nice bush growth 4.' One of the best bright yellows. _____ .75
- TJISKE, M.** Bloom 3½x2," bush 3 ft. Beautiful light blend of mimosa yellow delicately marked and flecked amaranth rose, slightly variegated. Uniform, profuse, and most attractive. _____ 1.00



TRINKET

- TRINKET, S.C.** Four inch garnet red that is outstanding on best stems. Heavy bloomer and real early. _____ .75
- TAXI, S.C.** An introduction of Mr. Hulen, we obtained a few years back. We now have a sufficient quantity to add it as a new variety to the 1962 catalogue. A beautiful miniature yellow cactus. Holds centers very good. Sturdy stems. Good bush grower. 3 ft. _____ 1.50
- TONETTE, Cac.** This small cactus is a combination of apricot and salmon pink. Good stems and fine for floral arrangements. _____ .75
- VIVO, F.D. (water lily).** A very conspicuous small variety. Brilliant scarlet with yellow base. Good show flower. 3½ ft. _____ 1.50

Make Your Garden Work a Pleasure

Dahlias require care and take some work, of course, but when you learn to know them, love them, and maybe, even "talk to them," the "work" will not be begrudged or wasted.

I know of no flowering plant that will respond more to a little special coaxing than the Dahlia. They just naturally make friends because of their unlimited variety of color combinations, sizes, forms and individual characteristics.



VOORZITTER DIX

- VOORZITTER DIX**, B—F.D. A real cut flower in pure mauve. If grown in perfection, very difficult to beat! 4 ft. _____ **1.25**
- WARREN GOODWIN**, M. Bloom 4x2," bush 3 ft. Cherry red with some gold at the base of petals. Pretty well-formed flower. Good stems. Root. _____ **.75**
- WHITE FAWN**, F.D. A truly fine small white for cut flower use. The medium low bush produces heavily on good stems. _____ **.75**

TOP MIX

These are the babies of the Dahlia family, the smallest grown. Bush is very compact, and often as many as 50 little blooms at a time. Can be grown in pots and window boxes. They make a striking border. All have single blooms.

- BAMBINO**. White one inch blooms on low bush 18" in height. _____ **.75**
- BONNY ESPERANCE**. Persian rose 1½" blossoms, bush 1 foot. _____ **.75**
- LULLABY**. Pure pink. 1 inch blooms. 1½ ft. _____ **.75**
- MINIATUUR**. Pure yellow. 1½ inch blooms. 1½ ft. _____ **.75**
- RHIENDEREN**. Glowing scarlet. 1½" blooms. 1 ft. _____ **.75**

Novelty Varieties

- DAHLIADEL TWINKLE** (Dahl 85). Orchid flowering. White suffused violet rose with distinct Tyrian rose mottlings on reverse of petals which roll forward. Perfect in form and useful in arrangements. _____ **.75**
- GIRAFFE**. Petals are of unusual shape and are yellow with maroon stripe. _____ **1.00**

- JAPANESE BISHOP** (Miniature Duplex). Rich red with a darker center. 2" to 3" flowers. Very unusual dark foliage, almost black. Very striking. _____ .75 each, 6 for 4.00, 12 for 7.50
- KOKETTE** (Single). 3" bright cherry red with a spot of golden yellow on the tip of each petal. Standout garden plant because of its early and free flowering habits. One of the best dahlias for arrangements. Highly recommended in all respects. 5' bush. _____ 1.00
- MIA KARSTEN** (single). 3" deep lavender rose with wine center. This little dahlia is very popular and makes a fine cut flower. _____ 1.00
- TASOGARE** (duplex). 3" blooms of richest scarlet contrasted with deep plum red foliage that is really different. Wonderful 4' bush with fine stems. Outstanding. _____ .75

DWARF ANEMONES

Petite dwarf anemone dahlias create quite a sensation at our shows, and understandably so. The tiny 2" to 3" flowers have a center like a "pincushion" when fully open, with a single row of outer petals forming a perfect frame for each. Bushes grow from 18" to 24" in height, and are used beautifully in rockeries as well as for borders. Plant about one foot apart when using for borders.

- BRIDESMAID** (Holl 85). Bloom 3x2." Bush 1½ ft. Pure white ray florets and cushion. This variety stands the heat and blooms very satisfactorily. _____ .75
- COMET** (Holl), M. Bloom 4x2½." Bush 2½ ft. Deep cardinal shading chrysanthemum crimson. A very unusual flower with a multitude of pointed tubular florets, giving the flower depth and size. _____ 1.00
- HONEY** (Dwarf Anemone). Early blooming, compact, dainty little plants about 18" high covered with hosts of exquisitely delicate honey colored blooms. The outer petals are a soft rose shade setting off the honey colored pin cushion center. _____ 1.00
- SIEMEN DOORENBOS** (Holl 85). Bloom 3." Bush 1 ft. Amaranth rose with cushion almost white. _____ .75
- VERA HIGGINS** (Ball 84). Bloom 3x2." Bush 1½ ft. Disc petals are a light cadmium and coral pink while the flower in general is apricot suffused rose. A free bloomer. Stems good. _____ 1.00
Collarettes are daisy-like flowers, with only one

Collarette Dahlias

row of petals (most varieties have 8 petals, but a few have more), around the open center, but with the addition of one or more rows of petaloids (usually of a different color) forming a collar around the open center. Most of them make excellent cut flowers and should be cut when the outer row of pollen is just beginning to open. Each plant will have up to several hundred blooms per season.

- AIGRETTE**. One of the largest collarettes, pure white. _____ 1.00
- AUREOLINE**. Largest and best of all yellows. Deep yellow! 3 ft. _____ 1.00

AVANT GARDE (Collarette). Sparkling orange with yellow collar. A big favorite at our gardens. 4' bush.	1.00
CHERUBINO (Collarette). The perfect round flowers have ideal stems and a pure white color with a creamy collar. 3' bush.	1.00
CLARE de LUNE (Collarette). 4" light yellow blooms with yellow collar. Stock limited—order early. 4' bush.	1.00
COMET . Anemone, rich dark garnet red, 4" in diameter. One of the most unusual of the newer varieties.	1.00
COMET, RED . Anemone, a sport of Comet but is of a rich bright red color.	1.25
FANDANGO . A large collarette that is one of the best. Color is rich red with golden collar.	1.00
FLORRISANT (Collarette). 6" clear light magenta with a white collar. One of the most admired dahlias at our fields and shows. 6' bush. Blue Ribbon Winner.	1.00
LA CIERVA . Deep purple with white edges and collar. 4" blooms are good for cutting, lasting up to a week. Very free flowering 4' bush with fine stems.	1.25
LADY FRIEND . Very pretty 4" clear pink with good stems and fine habits of growth. Unsurpassed as a cut flower and is beautiful with La Cierva in arrangements. A consistent blue ribbon winner. 4' bush.	1.00
LA GIACONDA (Collarette). Flaming scarlet with deep yellow collar. 4'.	1.00
LIBRETTO . 4" dark red with white collar. 5' bush.	1.00
MERRY-GO-ROUND . 3" deep rose pink with white collar and petal tips. Lots of blooms.	1.00
NEEDLES . Needle-like lines of wine laid on an ivory base. The 4" outer petals and the collar are the same color. Very striking and very different cut flower. 4' bush.	1.00
TRIBUNE (Dahl 85), M. Bloom 5," bush 4 ft. Deep rich Tyrian purple with white collar petals edged carmine. Fine for cutting. Blooms from early until frost on strong erect stems.	1.00
WOODY WOODPECKER (Collarette). Blood red to deep garnet with darker edges. The collar is red with yellow tips. A tricolor dahlia with best of stems and prolific growth. Good cutting flower. 5' bush.	1.00

Ball Dahlias

These have the same characteristics as pompons, except size. Blooms range from three to five inches across.

ALICE (Ball 5x3). Lovely pink blooms on fine stems. Superb for arrangements and landscapes. Healthy bush growth.	1.00
BUTTERBALL (Haugh-Rock 85B), E. Bloom 4x3," bush 5ft. Beautiful light primrose yellow. Profuse with dark leathery foliage. Certified at Atlanta. On 2 Honor Rolls, and a winner.	1.00

- CINNABAR, M—F.D.** A wonderful exhibition variety which attracts every eye by its dazzling bright orange scarlet color. Bush remains small, but blooms are carried on good long stems. 3 ft. **1.00**
- ORANGE-ADE** (Ball 4x3). One of our own new introductions for 1962. A true orange on nice long stems. Terrific bloomer. A dahlia which will blend well with any of your autumn shades. **1.50**
- CALIFORNIA SCARLET.** Ball. Bright red. Blooms 4x3" on good stems. We use this with Bacchus and Terpo for an all red bouquet. Try it for that mixed bouquet or basket in your next show. **1.00**
- JEEP** (Dahl 85M), M. Bloom 3½x3," bush 4 ft. White suffused violet rose and tipped purple violet, more pronounced in the early season. Blooms early and profusely. Sure to please. **.75**
- O. D. BALDWIN** (85B), M. Bloom 4½x3," bush 4 ft. Clear sulphur yellow edged carmine. Full centers, perfect stems. Good healthy grower and bloomer. **.75**

Pom Pons



These small, ball-type dahlias, 1 to 2 inches in size are ideal for use in bouquets and arrangements.

ALDA—Real dark red, almost black.

ALICE—A very good bright red.

AMBER QUEEN—Clear amber. Rather large but good.

APROPOSE—Small clean yellow.

BABY ROSE—Real good. Small. One of the best.

BETTINA—Small pink, outer petals have darker edge.

BETTY ANN—The nearest to a pink pom.

BETTY MALONE—Real small white with lavender edge.

BOBBIE LEE GRIBBLE—True red, one of the best.

BROWN'S LEO—Flaming red, over a nice yellow base.

- CELESTIA**—One of the best small whites.
- CHITA**—We think this to be the best small yellow.
- DEE DEE**—Small and compact, almost blue in color.
- DORIA**—Small dark maroon.
- EBONY**—Bloom 1¾," bush 3 ft. Black red, darkest of all dahlias. Long strong stems. Blooms form a complete ball.
- EDITH MUELLER**—Small red with orange.
- ELIZABETH ANN**—A little large for a show pom but a real nice coral rose.
- FANNY**—Brilliant pure orange.
- GADGET**—One of our best yellow poms.
- GLOW**—Rather large mulberry pink.
- HILDE**—Deep blood red exhibition pom. One of the very best!
- JOE FETTE**—A very nice pure white pom on fine bush.
- KASASAGI**—Rust red with yellow at the petal base.
- LIBBY ROHR**—A very prolific reddish purple, long stem.
- LITTLE DAVID**—Russet orange of almost perfect form. Fine for cutting.
- LITTLE CONN**—S. Pom.—R. Pom—Perfect exhibition pom of greatest value. Deep blood-red. Ideal! 3½ ft.
- LITTLE DIRK**—3½ ft., bright pink, splendid pom.
- LITTLE WILLEM**—S. Pom—PuBic. Pom—BiPr&W—1954 Cup-winner. Purple tipped white. Most perfect bicolor! 3½ ft.
- MINNIE MOUSE**—Violet, tipped white.
- MRS. FRENCH**—2½ ft. Very small clear pink.
- PEGGY WOOD**—Rich orange and white bicolor.
- PROSPECT**—A fine exhibit pom. White edged, deep lavender. _____ .50
- PRINCE CHARMING**—Ivory, edged purple.
- REGULUS**—Very small in a shade of deep violet.
- ROSIE**—A blend of lavender and rose, with lighter centers. _____ .50
- TAKAS YELLOW**—Good cutting, rich canary yellow.
- WILLO'S VIOLET**—Violet purple with a pale relief.
- ZIERPUPPE**—Orange, sort of a honey comb formation. _____ .50
- ZONNENGOU**—Autumn one of the best.

Prices on all pom's are 40¢ each or 6 for \$2.00
except Zierpuppe, Rosie and Prospect.

Cultural Hints

Each year we have a great many requests regarding the growing and care of Dahlias by customers that are planning a few tubers for the first time. We are offering the following in the hope that it will be of some assistance.

Upon receipt of your package of tubers from your supplier in the spring, open and inspect and if the soil is not in condition to receive them or if you do not have the time to plant, return them to the container and repack with whatever material they were shipped in. Leave in a cool place until you are ready to plant them. They should keep in a satisfactory condition for several weeks if kept covered and in a cool place.

Dahlias can be grown in almost any type of ordinary garden soil but will respond better in soils that have good drainage. We believe they do better when planted in the full sun but satisfactory results may be obtained when planted in a spot in your garden that receives only a few hours of sun each day, morning sun is preferable. One of the most important factors in growing good dahlias is "soil condition;" being more important than either type of soil or location of the planting in the garden. Be sure that you have the soil spaded and loosened thoroughly and then plant the tuber by laying it flat with the eye up and cover to a depth of about five inches. In sandy or light soils you may plant to a depth of six inches.

Do not plant too early. Wait until the weather is nice and the soil has started to warm up before planting. You always risk the loss through rotting if planting is done in the early spring when the soil is cold and wet. If early blooms are desired in the small varieties you can plant some years by the middle of April though you will run the risk of having them frosted in some localities. Here in the northwest the ideal time of planting comes, as a rule, during the first week in May. Planting may be continued through early June and still obtain good results.

For best results plants should be cultivated at least twice a week during the growing season. Try and keep soil loose at all times, this is especially true after watering. They will not need too much watering until the blooms start and then should be watered heavily about once per week or ten days. This can be done by using either overhead sprinklers or on the ground.

When your plant is about twelve inches high, or having from four to six pairs of leaves, pinch the top out, this will give you a bushy plant and more blooms to work with. Some disbudding should be employed to bring out the best possible size in the larger varieties and is also desirable in the cut flower varieties. When the buds appear you will notice that they usually come in clusters of three. The one in the center is usually the strongest. Remove the other two and this will send all the strength to the remaining one. The next two or three sets of branches—located just above each leaf below the remaining bud—should be removed, further increasing the size and growth of the flower and giving you a length of stem desired when cut. Many beginners feel that they are destroying too many blooms by this pinching out but this is not the case. You will have ample blooms and they will all be in good cutting and showing condition if you will follow the direction as outlined above.

Have You Tried . . .

We find that lots of people are interested in the different dahlias we use together when putting on our displays, so thought it might be nice to list a few of them here —

Curley Cue, White Fawn and one of the white Pom Pons.

Curley Cue & Cherubino.

Clair De Lune, Arebeske and Chita.

Andries Orange and Edith Mueller.

Barbara Lowrey & Apropose or Glow.

Baby Fonteneau, Silver Springs & Mrs. French.

Andries Pink & Mia Karsten.

Decoy and Maple Leaf.

Decoy, Belle Fleur, Autumn Brocade & or Kasasagi with any of these.

Gerrie Hoek & Good Morning, Pink Stole or Miss Rose Fletcher.

Glorie Van Heemsted, Finesse & Morio.

Golden Drop & Fanny.

Bronze Princess in a brass container with Tonette.

Jeep & Gayle Boone.

Marian goes well with any of the pinks, also Snow Flake.

Nepos & Betty Malone or Rosie.

Porcupine & Ambey Queen, Pom.

Pinkette & Little Dirk, Pom.

St. Therese & Silver Springs, also Good Morning.

Nagel's Solidite & Black Narcissus.

In large containers for Church and Lodge use or mixed varieties for shows try Bacchus and Florence Chadwick, Windlassie or White Superior for a Red and White. Most any of the autumn shades always work well together, however, for variation use different forms; such as Incurved Cactus, Semi Cactus or Straight Cactus and a Formal. For example: Autumn Brocade, Brandaris and Wagschals Goldkrone.

Florence Chadwick and Nagels Solidite or Good Earth have been used at lots of weddings. Also Grand Master Burger with Florence Chadwick; Deuil Du Roi, Albert and Orfeo; Black Bird and Tartan.

The men will like Comet and Alda or Ebony used with dark foliage, such as the red leafed plum or prune tree in a black container. There is no end to this list but these are just a few suggestions.

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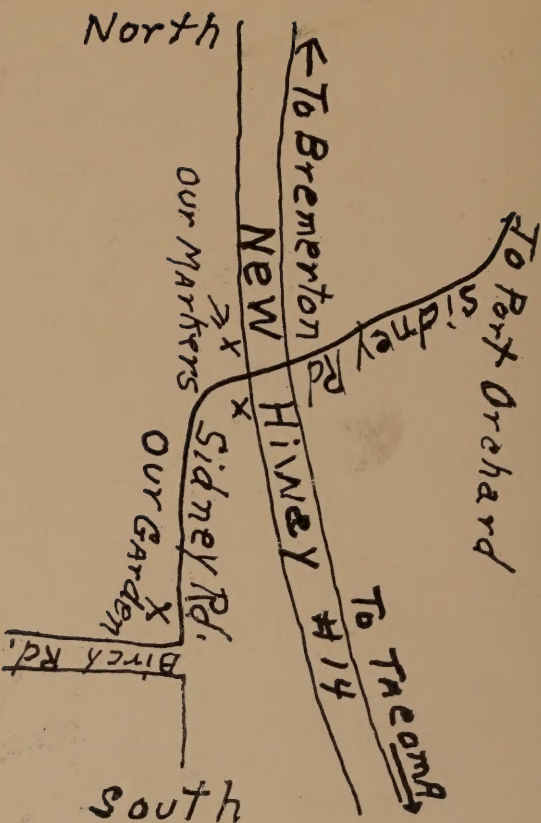
- F.D. — Formal Decorative, fully double flowers with uniform broad petals, either pointed or rounded at tips.
- I.D. — Informal Decorative, fully double flowers with the margins of the petals slightly revolute, generally pointed or twisted in irregular arrangement.
- S.C. — Semi-Cactus, fully double flowers with margins of the petals revolute or curved for half their length.
- Cac. — Cactus, fully double flowers with floral rays either incurved, recurved or straight with fine pointed petals for at least half their length.
- Ball — Fully double flowers with floral rays either quilled, round or blunt at tips and curving back to the stem.
- Min. — Miniatures, same as their larger sisters but from 3 to 4 inches.
- Pom — Pom Pons, fully double flowers rather ball shape about 1 to 2 inches.

A REMINDER—If you have an unpaid order with us will you kindly send in your remittance to cover at an early date. This will assure you delivery of your tubers at the proper planting time and allow us to make an accurate inventory of our stock. Thank you.

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